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LANE CLOSURES

POPLAR STREET BRIDGE COMPLEX, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

COLLINSVILLE, ILLINOIS – March 31, 2015 — The Illinois Department of Transportation announces lane closures will be implemented on the Poplar Street Bridge complex Wednesday, April 1, 2015. These restrictions will be placed in Illinois for eastbound travelers near the Illinois Route 3 south exit ramp. The left lane of the I-55\70\64 collector-distributor will be closed eastbound at its split from the Interstate mainline in East St. Louis. This lane closure will be in place between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday.

The lane restriction is necessary to perform pavement patching and bridge joint repairs. The Department's District 8 Bridge Unit and Bowman Operations forces will make the improvements.

Traffic control devices will be deployed to guide traffic safely through the work zone. Travelers are advised to consider alternate routes or allow additional time. Those motorists that must use this path are urged to be patient, reduce speed and exercise added caution near and through the work area. All lanes will be available for evening rush. Additional information is also available at www.stl-traffic.org/.

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Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.



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